REMARKS

This application is submitted as a National Phase Application of PCT Application No. PCT/IL01/01207.

The claims in the present application were amended by removing multiple dependencies, to reduce costs and put them in better form for examination in the US. The application now contains claims 1-10, 25-30, 32, 34, 36-38, 70, and 71. Claims 1, 3, 4, 6-10, 25-30, 32, 34, and 36-38 have been currently amended. Claims 11-24, 31, 33, 35, and 39-69 have been currently cancelled. Claims 70 and 71 have been currently added.

Applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Examiner that the present amendments are based on the claims as originally filed with the PCT application.

An action on the merits is respectfully awaited.

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